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Election Proclamation

To all whom it may concern

Whereas under an act of the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Arizona entitled "an act to provide for General and Special Elections" it is provided that there shall be held throughout the Territory on the Tuesday after the first Monday in November A.D. 1878 an election for members of the Legislative assembly and such other officers as may be required by law to be chosen at such election And Whereas it is further provided in said act that it shall be the duty of the Governor at least thirty days before any General Election to issue his proclamation designating the officers to be filled at such Election.

Now therefore I John C. Fremont Governor of the Territory of Arizona in pursuance of the duty enjoined upon me do hereby order a General Election to be held upon the day prescribed in said act, to wit the 5th day of November A.D. 1878 and also designate the following as the offices to be filled at said election to wit: A Delegate to the forty Sixth Congress of the United States, Nine (9) members of the Council of the Legislative Assembly of the Territory and Eighteen (18) members of the House of Representatives of said Legislative Assembly as follows to wit: The County of Maricopa Four (4) members of the Council and Eight (8) members of the House of Representatives.

The County of Pima Two (2) members of the Council and Five (5) members of the House of Representatives

The County of Mariopa One (1) member of the council and Two (2) members of the House of Representatives

The County of Yuma One (1) member of the Council and one member of the House of Representative

The County of Pinal One (1) member of the council and One (1) member of the House of Representative

The County of Mohave no (0) member of the Council and one (1) member of the House of Representative

Also in each County in the Territory two members of the Board of Supervisors, a Sheriff, District Attorney, County Recorder, County Treasurer, County Surveyor, Two (2) Coroners and a public Administrator. Also in each Election precinct in each County one and not more than Two (2)

Constables and Two (2) Justices of the Peace and in each precinct containing a population of more than eight hundred (800) persons to be ascertained by the Board of Supervisors One (1) additional Justice and Clerk in each School district in each County Three (3) School Trustees.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona. Done at Prescott this fifth day of October A.D. 1878

Seal

John C. Fremont
By the Governor,
John J. Gosper
Secretary of Arizona

Mar 17 Van Slyck, J. W. — Notary Public. Gila Co
Globe

Mar 17 Neff, A. S. — Notary Public. Cochise Co
Tombstone

Mar 17 Mason, M. B. — Notary Public. Cochise Co.
Tombstone

Mar 17 Stump, J. W. — Notary Public, Cochise Co
Tombstone

Mar 17 Carpenter, S. W. — Notary Public. Cochise Co.
Tombstone.

Mar 17 Crawford, B. M. — Notary Public. Graham Co.
Ora

Mar 17 Wickersham, D. W. — Notary Public. Graham Co.
Solomonville

Mar 17 Taggart, J. M. — Member Bd. Fish Commissioners

Mar 25 Mead, C. P. — Funding Commissioner, Yavapai Co.

Mar 25 Richards, Wm. — Funding Commissioner, Yavapai Co.

Mar 17 Knapp, J. F. — Member Bd. Prison Commissioners

Mar 17 * Black, E. P. – Territorial Auditor

Mar 17 * Butler, R. J. – Territorial ~~Auditor~~ Treasurer

Mar 17 * Bufkin, Wm M. – Prison Commissioner

Mar 17 * Cross, Joseph, – Member Bd. Supervisors, Cochise Co

Mar 17 * Fickes, Joseph – Member Bd. Supervisors. Cochise Co.

Mar 17 * Foyee, M. E. – Member Bd. Supervisors. Cochise Co.

Mar 17 * Tully, Carlos M. – Translator to translate orders & Justice laws into Spanish for the Territory of Arizona

~~Mar 17.~~ * ~~Taylor, N. A. Commissioner~~ of Deeds. – Pennsylvania
Was appointed in Dec 1891 Philadelphia

Mar 29 Bowers, John. – Prison Commissioner.

~~Mar 19~~ Rey, J. L. – Notary Public, Cochise Co.
Returned Willcox

Mar 26 Thurmond, P. M. – Notary Public – Cochise Co
Tombstone

[illegible] Kimball, M. W. — Notary Public, Cochise Co
Tombstone

Mar 26 Fisher, J. M. — Notary Public — Graham Co
Prescott

Mar 26 Hilliker, J. T. — Commissioner of Deeds — California
= 410 California St. San Francisco.

Mar 26 Pratt, Chas. C — Commissioner of Deeds — New Mexico
Silver City

Mar 26 Felton, A. J. — Notary Public — Cochise Co
Tombstone

Mar 26 Farrell, M. R. Notary Public — Cochise Co
Tombstone

Mar 30 Thornton, C. A. — Notary Public — Cochise Co
Tombstone

Mar 30 Street, Webster — Notary Public — Cochise Co
Tombstone

Apr 1 Hicks, J. L. — Notary Public — Yuma Co
Wicks

Apr 4 Joyner, F. E. — Notary Public — Pima Co
Washington Camp

Apr 1 Hayne, Marcus R. – Notary Public – Cochise Co
Territory

Apr 2 Davis, J. W. – Notary Public – Pima Co
Arizona

Apr 4 Fickas, D. A. – Notary Public Cochise Co
Territory

Apr 4 Crawford A. U. – Wagon Road Commissioner
Yuma to Ehrenberg

Apr 4 Oldham, Isaac Jr. – Wagon Road Commissioner
Yuma to Ehrenberg

Apr 4 Forney A. – Wagon Road Commissioner
Yuma to Ehrenberg

Mar 29 Mercer, F. L. – Notary Public – Pima Co
Tucson

Apr 6 Stone, W. R. – Notary Public – Pinal Co
Pinal

Apr 6 Miller, Chas. – Notary Public – Pinal Co
Lonesome Creek

Apr 6 Savage. W. H. – Notary Public – Cochise Co
Bisbee

April 9 Young. John – Notary Public – Pima Co
Greenville

April 9 Hawn. E. – Notary Public – Graham Co
Camp Thomas

Apr 6 Katz. A. – Notary Public – Graham Co

Apr 12 Smith. Holland – Commissioner of Deeds – California
307 Montgomery St. San Francisco

Apr 15 Lunt. Wm. H. – Notary Public – Yavapai Co
Flagstaff
Revoked June 17th 1881

Apr 15 Harwood. Wm A. – Notary Public – Cochise Co.
Tombstone.

Apr 18 Mitchell. A. J. – Notary Public – Cochise Co
Tombstone

Apr 19 Blake John – Notary Public. Gila Co
Tonto Basin

Apr 21 Woodside, Preston K. — Notary Public — Pima Co.
Morenci

Apr 21 Morgan, W. A. — Notary Public — Graham Co.
Fort Grant

Apr 23 Smadbeck, Louis — Notary Public — Graham Co.
Clifton

Apr 23 Osborn, Wm J. — Notary Public — Pima Co
Tucson.

Apr 25 Obowe, W. G. — Notary Public — Cochise Co.
Tombstone

Apr 27 Norritt, W. M. — Notary Public — Pinal Co.
Florence.

Apr 28 Steinhouse, Geo. T. — Notary Public — Cochise Co
Hartford Mining District

May 2 Reymert, J. W. — Notary Public — Pinal Co.
Pinal

May 5 Stein — Robt — Notary Public. — Yuma Co
Silver District

May 6 Corbett, David E. — Notary Public — Cochise Co
Willcox

May 9 Middleton, F. W. — Notary Public — Yavapai Co
Green Valley via Fort Rent.

May 12 Reppy, Chas. D. — Notary Public — Cochise Co
Tombstone.

May 17 Kendall, Geo. D. — Notary Public — Yavapai Co.
Prescott

May 20 Williams, S. G. — Notary Public — Pima Co
Myers District.

May 21 Rigg, E. A. — Notary Public — Cochise Co.
Contention

May 28 Abbott, J. E. — Commissioner of Deeds. — Boston Mass. } 53 State St

May 31 Aram, E. W. — Notary Public — Cochise Co
Turned to Vincent Tombstone and Aram Commission expired.

May 31 Ellingwood, Geo. W. Notary Public — Cochise Co
Dalzyville

May 31 Morton, W. B. — Notary Public — Pima Co.
Tucson

June 2 Frink, E. B. — Notary Public — Graham Co.
Safford.

1891

June 7 Hughes, L. L. — Notary Public — Pima Co
Tucson

June 7 Tharp, E. M. — Commissioner of Deeds
238 Montgomery St — San Francisco.

June 13 Marcon, Stephen G. — Notary Public, Yavapai Co
Prescott

June 14 Miller, F. K. — Notary Public — Pima Co.
Tucson

June 14 Morgan, Henry M. — Notary Public — Cochise Co.
Tombstone

June 20 Brittain, J. S. — Notary Public — Cochise Co
Tombstone

June 27 Tucker, Paul — Notary Public — Yavapai Co.
Prescott

June 27 Carr, E. M. — Notary Public — Pima Co.
Tucson

June 27 Patterson, John W — Notary Public — Pima Co.
Tucson

June 29 Alsap, J. T. — Notary Public — Maricopa Co
Phoenix

1881
July 6. Mundell J. N. Notary Public Cochise Co
Benson

July 12 Forbert Chas. J. Commissioner of Deeds
San Francisco Cal

July 12 Remsen Garret W. Notary Public Cochise Co
Bowie City

July 15 Ross. William J. — Notary Public — Pima Co
Ors Blanco

July 18 Wildman, Perry — Notary Public — Pinal Co
Pinal

July 18 Kelly, Chas. E. — Commissioner of Deeds — California
#216 Sansome St — San Francisco

Aug 3 Craig Lee D Commissioner of Deeds California
316 Montgomery Street San Francisco.

Aug 3 Hanshaw Hamer H Notary Public Yavapai Co
Prescott A.T.

Aug 3 Wilkins R.M. Notary Public Pima Co
Tucson A.T.

Aug 3 Tomlinson Thomas Notary Public Pinal Co
Casa Grande A.T.

Aug 8	Handy Chas. D.	Notary Public Charleston A.T.	Cochise Co
Aug 17	Clark Hamilton D	Commissioner of Deeds Medford	Massachusetts
Aug 17	Duncan James F	Notary Public Bisbee	Cochise Co
Aug 27	Coenen Anthony	Notary Public Tucson	Pima Co
Aug 27	Kingwell Joseph F	Commissioner of Deeds California	San Francisco
Aug 27	Ruggles Levi	Notary Public ~~Globe~~ Florence	Pinal ~~Cochise Co~~
Aug 27	Jones Walter T	Notary Public Globe City	Gila Co
Aug 29	Force Leonidas	Notary Public Maricopa	Pinal Co
Sept 6	Graham Charles	Notary Public Don Carlos	Cochise Co

1887

Sept 12	Harden & Blaire 176 Broadway, N.Y. City	Commissioners of Deeds	New York
Sept 12	Ainza Santiago Tucson A.T.	Notary Public	Pima
Sept 20	Gomez, E. J. 61 Court St Boston	Commissioner of Deeds	Massachusetts
Sept 20	McCombs J.C. Benson A.T.	Notary Public	Cochise Co
Sept 12	Weil Charles, H. Phoenix, Maricopa County	Captain	Phoenix Rangers
Sept 12	Brouner, J. C.	1st Lieutenant Phoenix, Maricopa County	Phoenix Rangers
Sept 12	O'Neil, Wm. B.	2nd Lieutenant Phoenix, Maricopa County	Phoenix Rangers
Sept 12	Lacey, D. B.	Captain Globe	Globe Rangers
Sept 12		1st Lieutenant Globe	Globe Rangers

Sept 12		2nd Lieutenant	Globe Rangers
Sept 12	Cage, D. G.	Captain, San Pedro	San Pedro Rangers
Sept 12	Cook, Geo. P.	1st Lieutenant San Pedro	San Pedro Rangers
Sept 12	Martin, Geo. P.	2nd Lieutenant San Pedro	San Pedro Rangers
Sept 12	Cochran, T. A.	Captain Pinal	Pinal Guards
Sept 12	Gilmore, C. M.	1st Lieutenant Pinal	Pinal Guards
Sept 12	Wheeler, C. H.	2nd Lieutenant Pinal	Pinal Guards
Sept 12	Blair, Sam. J.	Captain Galeville	Galeville Militia
Sept 12	Mc Crillis, P. M. Commissioned by mistake	1st Lieutenant Galeville	Galeville Militia

Sept 12	Shotwell, G. S.	2nd Lieutenant Galeville	Galeville Militia
Sept 12	Gabriel, J. P.	Captain Florence	Florence Volunteers
Sept 12	Weedin, G. H.	1st Lieutenant, Florence	Florence Volunteers
Sept 12	Sawyer, H. B.	2nd Lieutenant Florence	Florence
Oct. 1st	Bolan, J. P.	Captain Safford	Safford Rifles
Oct. 1	Hayes, James	1st Lieutenant Safford	Safford Rifles
Oct. 1	Derrick, Alexander	2nd Lieutenant Safford	Safford Rifles
Sept. 12	Montgomery, L. R.	1st Lieutenant Galeyville	Galeyville Militia
Oct 9	Young John M.	Captain Young's Camp	San Francisco Rangers

Oct 7	Young, Ch. G.	1st Lieutenant Yavapai Guards	San Francisco Range
Oct. 7	Segueiller, Daniel	2nd Lieutenant Yavapai Guards	San Francisco Range
Oct 13	Turner, J. H.	Notary Public Pima County	Hardshaw
Oct 14	Brown, E. M.	Notary Public Pima County	Tucson
Oct 14	Haskill, A. S.	Notary Public Yavapai County	
Oct. 14	Mellen, Richard	Notary Public Yavapai County	Prescott
Oct 25	Turner, J. H.	Notary Public Harshaw	Pima Co
Oct 25	Robb, Donald	Notary Public Globe	Gila Co
Oct 25	Ricker, Paul	Notary Public Tucson	Pima Co

1881 Oct 14	Marlerson, Murat	Colonel and Aid de Camp to Commander in Chief	Prescott Yavapai Co.
Nov 15	McKinnon, Peter J.	Notary Public	Mohave Co Mineral Park
15 Nov	Hunt, Thos. J.	Com of Deeds	Pennsylvania Philadelphia 622 Walnut St.
Nov 15	Norris, A. H.	Notary Public	Pima Co Oro Blanco.
Nov 15	Johnson, Victorino,	Notary Public	Yavapai Co. Hassayampa A.T.
Nov 15	Wessels, [illegible]	Commissioner of Deeds	Minnesota [illegible]
Nov 15	Scoggin, [illegible]	Notary Public	Pima Co. [illegible]
	Conrad, [illegible]	Commissioner of Deeds	California [illegible] Parkside.
Nov 16	Moore, Wm. H.	Notary Public	Yavapai Co Prescott

1881

Nov 16	Phillips Kin	Notary Public Tombstone A.T.	Cochise Co
Nov 16	Tingna John N.	Notary Public Harshaw A.T.	Pima Co
Nov 16	Lloyd Trevor	Notary Public Harshaw A.T.	Pima Co
Nov 28	Benedict Nicholas	Clerk of Deeds Oakland 457 Ninth St	California
Nov 28	Bragg A. Mi	Notary Public Tucson	Pima Co
Nov 29	Graves William	Notary Public Globe	Gila Co
Dec 2	Allen J.B.	Notary Public Myers Mining District	Pima Co
Dec 3	Clarke Edwin C.	Com of Deeds 252 Broadway New York City	New York
Dec 6	Peel B.L.	Notary Public Tombstone	Cochise Co

Los Cabezas

2 Sherman M.H. Notary Public Yavapai
Prescott A.T.

Elliot P.N. Yavapai Co Notary Public
Rail Road

26 Day Warren E Notary Public Mohave Co
Grant McDonald Camp on R.R.

2 Marcou. S.G. Interpreter to the Governor
Prescott A.T.

Mc Knight Wm. M. Commissioner of Deeds Pennsylvania
605 Walnut St Philadelphia

7 Cap. Gustavus Notary Public Pima Co
Pima City

Miller Roberts Notary Public Pima Co
Tucson Arizona

29 Harris Louis D. Commissioner Deeds California
926 Pine St
San Francisco

1882

Feb 27	Smith J. B.	Notary Public Contention City Arizona	Cochise Co
Feb 27	Hafer Albert	Notary Public Winslow A.T.	Apache Co
Feb 27	Hutton J. T.	Notary Public Tombstone A.T.	Cochise Co
Feb 27	Goodwin F. L. D.	Notary Public St. Clarence A.T.	Graham Co
Feb 27	[illegible]	Commissioner Deeds [illegible]	[illegible]
Feb 27	[illegible]	Notary Public [illegible] Arizona	[illegible]
Feb 27	Drage C. E.	Notary Public Fort Yuma A.T.	Yavapai Co
Mch 7	Adams Amos D	Notary Public Phoenix A.T.	Maricopa Co
Mch 8	[illegible] William T	Commissioner of Deeds City of New York 335 Broadway New York City	
" 8	[illegible] William [illegible]	Notary Public Prescott A.T.	Yavapai Co

Marsh 24 Hayt Walter O. Commissioner of Deeds New Mexico
Santa Fe.

Mar 31 Stoddard Gus F. Notary Public Yavapai Co
Copper Mountain Agua Fria Mining Dist

April 6 Leede John E. Notary Public Yavapai Co
Flagstaff.

April 8 Jacobs A. E. Notary Public Pima Co
Tucson A.T.

April 13 Soniat Melonzo E. Commissioner of Deeds Louisiana
New Orleans 13 Carondelet St.

April 15 Wingas J. J. Notary Public Maricopa Co
Hayden Ferry. Tempe

April 18 Folsom Thomas W Com of Deeds New York
14 Bible House New York City

April 19 Mason James Commissioner Deeds California
219 Sansome Street

1882 April 19	McDermott W. A.	Notary Public Tucson	Pima Co
April 22	Culver W. H.	Notary Public Tucson	Pima Co
April 22	Fitchenor L. B.	Commissioner of Deeds 126 S Clark St Chicago	Illinois
April 26	Brown P. A.	Notary Public Pinal	Pinal Co
April 26	Hazeltine W. C.	Notary Public Prescott	Yavapai
April 27	Child Richard S.	Commissioner of Deeds 901 Walnut Street Philadelphia	Pennsylvania

Proclamation

Whereas the Stage Coach carrying the United States mails was stopped and robbed on the 6th day of October A.D. 1878 near Dead Creek in the County of Yavapai in the Territory of Arizona Now therefore I John C. Fremont Governor of the Territory of Arizona do hereby proclaim and offer a Reward of five Hundred (500) dollars for the arrest and conviction of all of the persons engaged in said robbery. Said reward to become due and payable only upon the conviction of the person or persons so arrested

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great Seal of the Territory of Arizona Done at Prescott this 8th day of October A.D. 1878

Seal

J. C. Fremont

By the Governor
John Gosper
Secretary of Arizona
By J. E. Anderson Asst Sec.

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Proclamation

The Governor of the Territory of Arizona To the Sheriff of Yavapai County Greeting

Whereas Henry Hunt was at the June 1877 Term of the District Court for the County of Yavapai convicted of Assault and sentenced to Six Months imprisonment in the County Jail and five hundred dollars fine, Said fine to be worked out at the rate of one dollar per day from the 23rd day of December 1877 And whereas the said Henry Hunt has behaved himself well while in Prison, and has been of great services to the Territory in certain criminal proceeding during the past year, and whereas the District Attorney and the Sheriff have both petitioned for his release from further imprisonment I have considered it a fit case for exercise of Executive Clemency Now therefore be it known that I John C Fremont Governor of said Territory of Arizona do hereby grant unto said Henry Hunt a full and free pardon And request the Sheriff of said County of Yavapai to set him free

Seal

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the Territory at Prescott this 15th day of October AD 1878

J. C. Fremont

By the Governor

John J. Gosper
Secretary of Arizona

By J E Anderson Asst Sec.

Prescott

Oct 29, 1878

To His Excellency
General Mariscal
Governor of the State of Sonora
Republic of Mexico

I have the Honor to thank your excellency for your note of the 26th Sept. Addressed to the Governor of this Territory by which I am informed that Oliver Boyer a fugitive from justice of this Territory has just been apprehended by the police of the city of Arizpe and that your excellency has directed the perfect of the district to have him sent with a sufficient escort to Santa Cruz and there be placed at the disposal of the American Authorities empowered to receive him under their Jurisdiction.

Your Excellency's note addressed to Governor Hoyt has only just reached me having come officially in to my hands as the Successor of Governor Hoyt who has been appointed to the Territory of Idaho

I use this to assure your Excellency that I am much gratified with my good fortune in having General Mariscal as my Coadjutor in preserving and promoting harmony and security to life and property on the frontier of our respective Countries.

Assuring your Excellency of my distinguished consideration I am

Your obedient Servant
J. C. Fremont

Seal

By the Governor
John J. Gosper
Secretary of Arizona
By J. E. Anderson
Asst Sec of Territory.

Proclamation

Territory of Arizona Executive Department
Whereas the United States Mail was robbed near Wickenburg Arizona on the 19th day of April 1878 By Louis Rondeforach and John Mullen.

Now therefore I John C Fremont Governor of said Territory do hereby offer a reward of five (500) Hundred dollars for the arrest and detention of said Louis Rondeforach and John Mullen or Two Hundred and fifty (250) dollars for either one of them and I further authorize the printing of (200) Two Hundred posters offering said Reward and giving a description of said Louis Rondeforach and John Mullen.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona

Done at Prescott this 1st day of November AD 1878

J. C. Fremont

By the Governor

John J. Gosper Secretary of Arizona

B. J. E. Anderson Asst Sec.

Seal

Thanksgiving Proclamation

Whereas in the Season of prosperity as in the Season of Adversity it behooves us all to remember with gratitude the continual providence of Almighty God and because we have here abundant and peculiar reasons to be thankfull for the blessings and Mercies bestowed upon us during the year which is passing and because it has pleased him to give his people in this Territory a special mark of his care and loving kindness in the timely snow and rains which have just fallen and which carry with them to all assurance of occupation prosperity and health

Now therefore as the President of the United States has appointed and set apart Thursday the 28th day of November as a day of Thanksgiving I do hereby earnestly invite all people throughout this Territory to unite in a general and faithfull observance of the day so appointed by the President

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona

Done at Prescott this 12th day of November A.D. 1878

Seal

John P. Gosper Secretary Arizona

By the Governor

R. J. E. Anderson Acting Adc

Territory of Arizona Executive Department

To All, to Whom these Presents Shall come, Greeting

It has been made known to me that in October 1877 Jesus Molina, a young man twenty five years of age, was arraigned before the 1st District Court Chief Justice French presiding charged with the murder of Manuel Ochoa and that the said Jesus Molina was on the 29th day of October 1877 adjudged guilty of murder in the second degree and sentenced to be imprisoned in the Territorial Prison for the term of twelve years; Now Whereas a petition numerously signed has been laid before me by citizens of the County where the above mentioned crime was committed requesting pardon for the said Molina upon the ground that this crime had been committed under circumstances of outrageous provocation that since his conviction extenuating facts have come to light which would have operated to produce his acquital if they had been known and put in evidence at the time and that he had previously born the character of an industrious and peacefull citizen; And whereas executive clemency in this case is recommended by the Judge of the court by which he was tried by the District Attorney and by the Foreman and three of the Jury together with many prominent and influential men who were familiar with the circumstances.

Therefore and for the further reason that Molina in the commission of his crime was acting under the impulse of a moral force which he could not controll. I John C Fremont Governor of the Territory of Arizona; do hereby Grant a full pardon to the said Jesus Molina and direct that he be accordingly released and set free.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great seal of the Territory of Arizona

Seal

Done at Prescott this 18th day of November AD. 1878

John J Gosper Secretary Ariz.

J. C Fremont Governor

By J. E Anderson Asst Sec.

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Territory of Arizona Executive Department
To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting
Whereas it has been made known to me that H. M. Ledden having been duly arraigned before the District Court of the Third Judicial District of the Territory upon the charge of Assault with intent to do bodily harm was on the 13th day of this Month of November 1878 convicted and sentenced to the Territorial Prison for the term of Six Months, and Whereas a petition has been laid before me requesting a remission of his punishment upon the ground of advanced age and for other considerations. Now therefore in consideration of the Advanced age of the prisoner and of the imprisonment which he has already suffered for the six Months preceding his trial and for the further reason that the petition for his release is signed by the Judge of the court before which he was tried and by other prominent citizens who are all interested in the preservation of peace and good order in the community.
I John C Fremont Governor of the Territory of Arizona do hereby Grant Pardon to the said H M Ledden, and direct that he be set at liberty.

Seal

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great Seal of the Territory of Arizona.
Done at Prescott this 27th day of November A.D. 1878
J. C. Fremont
By the Governor
John J Gosper Secretary of Arizona
By J. C. Anderson Asst Sec.

Prescott December 16th

Territory of Arizona

Office of the Secretary

On the 16th day of December that being the fortieth day after the General Election held on the 5th day of November I John J Gosper Secretary of Arizona Territory proceeded to open the election returns from the several counties and to compare and estimate the same. The Returns from Pinal County not having arrived they are not included in this list.

The votes in the several counties for Delegate to Congress are as follows

Counties	Campbell	Davis	Stevens	Woolsey
Mohave	93	173	19	57
Yavapai	758	578	54	162
Pima	357	165	679	25
Yuma	145	64	213	21
Maricopa	99	117	125	543
Pinal	No	Returns	Received	
Total	1452	1097	1090	822.

Although the law says the Returns shall be compared and estimated on the fortieth day. That falling on Sunday and having doubts as to its being a Judicial day adjourned further proceedings on said returns until Monday Morning Dec 16 at 9 O'clock.

December 16 AD. 1878. 9 A.M. proceeded to compare the total votes for Delegate to Congress and find that John G Campbell received the highest number of votes and is entitled to a certificate of his election.

In Witness whereof I hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of my office. Done at Prescott this 16th day of December AD. 1878.

Seal

John J Gosper
Secretary of Terry

By John G Anderson.
Asst Secretary.

To
His Excellency John C Frémont
Governor of Arizona

Territory of Arizona
Secretary's Office

To his Excellency John C. Fremont Governor of Arizona Territory.

By Section 36th of Chapter 24 of the Compiled Laws of Arizona dated 1877 it becomes "the duty of the clerk of the board of Supervisors as soon as the board of Supervisors have made out a statement of the vote for delegate in said county as required by section thirty one of this chapter to copy therefrom so much as relates to the vote given for said delegate and certify to the correctness thereof under his hand and the seal of the board of Supervisors. and transmit the same to the Secretary of the Territory endorsing on the package the words "Election Returns"." And by Section 65 of Chapter 24,

"It is hereby made the duty of the Secretary of the Territory after the expiration of forty days from and after each election for a delegate to congress to certify to the Governor any and all failures and omissions of the board of Supervisors, or clerks of boards of Supervisors in their respective counties to comply with the provisions of this chapter, in returning or certifying the returns of certificates of any such election to the office of the Secretary of the Territory"

Now I John Hoxper hereby certify that forty days have expired since the election held on the November 5th A.D. 1878 at which time votes were cast for a delegate to Congress. and that no returns from Pinal County of said election have been received at this office. And that I do not know whether it is the fault of the board of supervisors of said Pinal County or of the clerk of said board.

In Witness where of I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of my office. One at Prescott this 16th day of December A.D. 1878.

Seal

John Hoxper
Secretary Arizona
By John C. Anderson asst Secretary.

Territory of Arizona
Office of the Governor

To All whom this may come. Greeting

Whereas according to all the returns of the General Election held in the Territory of Arizona on Tuesday November fifth A.D. 1878 as received and filed in the office of the Secretary of the Territory of Arizona and compared and estimated by him according to law. It appears that John G Campbell had the greatest number of votes for Delegate to the Forty Sixth Congress of the United States. And Whereas the Secretary of the Territory of Arizona has certified to the Governor that such is the fact.

Now therefore I John C Fremont Governor of the Territory of Arizona do hereby declare said John G Campbell to be duly ~~and~~ legally elected Delegate to said Congress.

Seal of Arizona

Witness My hand and the seal of the Territory of Arizona done at Prescott this 20th day of December A.D. 1878.

John C Fremont
Governor

John J Gosper Secretary of Arizona
By John E Anderson Asst Sec.

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department
Prescott December 20/1878

To all to whom these presents shall come greeting
Whereas it is known to me that James Miles was indicted by the Grand Jury November 8th 1878 for assault with intent to commit murder and on November 15th, was after trial convicted of assault and sentenced to six months imprisonment in the county jail and five hundred dollars fine, said fine to be worked out at the rate of one dollar per day as fixed by the court in default of payment; and whereas a petition has been presented to me approved by the district Attorney and numerously signed by influencial men among whom I recognize the names of old citizens whose wishes are entitled to special consideration for the reason that they have aided to build up and maintain this town and the neighboring settlements through many hazards to life and property and who therefore are specially concerned in maintaining the fair reputation of the law as an orderly and law abiding community. Now, therefore in deference to their request as above stated I John C Fremont Governor of the Territory of Arizona, do hereby grant pardon to the said James Miles and direct that he be set at liberty.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great seal of the Territory of Arizona this 20th day of December A.D. 1878

J C Fremont
Governor

Seal

John Gospher Secretary of Arizona
By J E Anderson asst Sec

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Territory of Arizona
Executive Department
Prescott Dec 19/78

To All To Whom these Present shall come Greeting

Whereas it has been made known to me that Charles Brown and Thomas Harris after trial at the last term of the District court of the third Judicial District held at Mineral Park in October were convicted of petit Larceny and Sentenced to six months imprisonment in the County Jail and to pay a fine of three Hundred dollars or in default thereof to be imprisoned for three hundred additional days; and Whereas a petition has been laid before me signed by the citizens generally of Mineral Park and vicinity earnestly requesting a pardon for the above named Brown and Harris in consideration of the facts that they have already been in Jail nearly Six months at great expense to the county which has lately been impoverished by the loss of nearly three thousand dollars of its funds and in the opinion of the Petitioners not in a condition to bear the further expense which will be incurred by keeping these men in Jail; Now therefore in consideration of the reasons above given. I do hereby grant pardon to the above named Charles Brown and Thomas Harris upon the condition that they immediately leave this territory and I hereby direct that they be set at liberty

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the seal of the Territory of Arizona this 19th day of December 1878.

Seal

John J. Gosper Secretary
J. P. Fremont
Governor.
By J. E. Anderson Asst Sec.

Territory of Arizona
Executive Office
Prescott Feb 19 1879

The Governor of the Territory of Arizona
To His Excellency the Governor of the Territory of Washington

Whereas it appears by indictment duly found, a certified copy of which is hereunto affixed which said copy I hereby certify to be duly authenticated as required by the laws of this Territory that Louis Rondeau and John Mullen stand charged with the crime of robbing the United States mail committed near the town of Wickenburg in the Territory of Arizona and Whereas it has been represented to me that they have fled from Justice and have taken refuge in the Territory of Washington Now therefore in pursuance of the statutes in such case made and provided I John C Fremont Governor of said territory of Arizona do hereby require that the said Louis Rondeau and said John Mullen be apprehended and delivered to J W Evans deputy U.S. Marshal who is hereby authorized to receive and convey them to the territory of Arizona there to be dealt with according to law

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great seal of the territory of Arizona
Done at Prescott this 19 day of Feb AD 1879

Seal

By the Governor J. C. Fremont

John J Gosper Secretary
By J. C. Anderson Asst Sec

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Territory of Arizona
Executive Department
Prescott February 20th 1879

To All to Whom these Presents Shall come Greeting

Whereas it has been made known to me that Charles Selden was arraigned before the District Court of the 1st Judicial District of this Territory at the October term of 1878, Charged with the crime of Murder and was found Guilty and Adjudged to suffer the punishment of death. And Whereas after carefull consideration of the evidence in the case, I am of opinion that the said Charles Selden in the commission of his crime did not act with the deliberation which is essential to Murder in the first degree, but under sudden impulse and in the heat of passion following upon a quarrel accompanied with flagrant violence which his companions instigated him to wrong. And for the further reason that except in the case of deliberate and premeditated Murder, the ends of Justice are sufficiently served by a lifetime imprisonment.

Now therefore, I John C. Fremont Governor of the Territory of Arizona do, for the reasons above given, hereby rescind the Judgement which decreed the penalty of death to the said Charles Selden and do hereby commute the same to imprisonment for life in the Territorial Prison of this Territory.

Seal

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona this Twenty of February A.D. 1879

J C Fremont
Governor Territory

John J Gosper Secretary of Territory
By John E Anderson Asst Sec.

Requisition for other Cherry on Geo Lee
March 79

Territory of Arizona
Executive Office

The Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona to His Excellency, the Governor of the State of Illinois

Whereas it appears by a complaint duly made before a Magistrate of the Territory of Arizona, to wit: The Hon. Chas. Silent, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the Territory of Arizona, a certified copy of which is hereunto attached, which said copy I hereby certify to be duly authenticated as required by the laws of this Territory, that James Cherry stands charged with the crime of Grand Larceny in the County of Yavapai in the Territory of Arizona, And Whereas it has been represented to me that he has fled from Justice and has taken refuge in the City of Chicago, State of Illinois. Now therefore in pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided, I, John J. Gosper Acting Governor of the said Territory of Arizona, do hereby require that the said James Cherry be apprehended and delivered to who is hereby authorized to receive and convey him to the Territory of Arizona, there to be dealt with according to law

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona

Done at Prescott, this third day of March A. D. 1879

Seal

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

By the Acting Gov.
John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory

Territory of Arizona
Executive Office

Whereas it appears by evidence duly presented to me that one Romolo Baca stands indicted in the county of Socorro in the Territory of New Mexico for the crime of Murder; and whereas his Excellency the Governor of the Territory of New Mexico has issued his requisition requesting me to deliver the said Romolo Baca to Patricino Luna the duly authorized Agent to receive the said Romolo Baca wherever found and to convey him to the limits of New Mexico to be tried for the crime aforesaid.

Now therefore I John J. Gosper Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona in compliance with said requisition this day made upon me, and in accordance with law in such cases provided, do hereby authorize the said Patricino Luna to take the said Romolo Baca and forthwith convey him to New Mexico there to be tried for said offence of Murder; and I do hereby also authorize all the civil officers of this Territory to afford all needful assistance to the said Patricino Luna in the execution hereof.

The execution of this warrant is to be without any expense whatever to this said Territory of Arizona

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great Seal of the Territory

(Seal)

Done at Prescott this fourth day of March A. D. 1879

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

By the Governor
John J. Gosper
Secretary of the Territory of Arizona

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Territory of Arizona

Executive Office

The Governor of the Territory of Arizona to His Excellency the Governor of the Territory of New Mexico

Whereas it appears by information duly laid before the Honorable C. F. Cate Justice of the Peace in Prescott ~~Original~~ Yavapai County Arizona aforesaid, Certified Copies of all which are hereto annexed which said Copies I hereby Certify to be duly Authenticated as required by the Laws of this Territory, That Jesus Molino and Francisco Vasquez stand charged with the crime of Robbery committed in the County of Yavapai in Arizona Territory, on or about the Sixth day of October A.D. 1878 And whereas it has been represented to me that the aforesaid Jesus Molino and Francisco Vasquez have fled from Justice and has taken refuge in the Territory of New Mexico Now therefore in pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided I John J. Gosper Acting Governor of the said Territory of Arizona do hereby require that the said Jesus Molino and Francisco Vasquez be apprehended and delivered to Robert H. Walker who is hereby Authorized to receive and Convey them and each of them to the Territory of Arizona there to be dealt with according to law

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona—

(Seal)

Done at Prescott Arizona this Sixth day of March 1879

By the acting Governor

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

John J Gosper
Secretary of Arizona

Territory of Arizona
Executive Office

The Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona
To His Excellency the Governor of the Territory of
New Mexico

Whereas it appears by complaint duly authenticated a copy of which is hereunto annexed that Jack Doff, Ed Darling alias "Tex" and William Dyer charged with the crime of Grand Larceny having stolen three horses (property of Connor and Wall of Tombstone Pima County)

And Whereas it has been represented to me that they have fled from Justice and have taken refuge in the Territory of New Mexico

Now Therefore I John Gosper Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona in pursuance of the Statutes in such cases made and provided do hereby require that the said Jack Doff, Ed Darling alias "Tex" and William Dyer be apprehended and delivered to

Who is hereby authorized to receive and convey them to the Territory of Arizona there to be dealt with according to law.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona

Seal

Done at Prescott this thirteenth day of March A.D. 1879

John Gosper
Acting Governor

John Gosper Secretary Territory
By John C. Anderson Asst Secy Terr.

Proclamation

Whereas I am informed that on the Sixth day of April A. D. 1879 one Wm McCurdy shot and murdered one John Keefe in the County of Yavapai in the Territory of Arizona and that said Wm McCurdy has fled and is still at large.

Now therefore I John J. Gosper Acting Governor of the Territory do hereby proclaim and offer a reward of Two Hundred and Fifty ($250.00) dollars for the arrest of said Wm McCurdy. said reward to become due and payable only upon the arrest and conviction of said Wm McCurdy of the crime alledged to have been committed as aforesaid

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona Done at Prescott this fourteenth day of April A.D. 1879

(Seal)

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

Attest:
John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory
By John E. Anderson
Asst. Secretary.

Territory of Arizona
Executive office

The Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona to His Excellency the Governor of the State of California.

Whereas it appears by indictment a certified copy of which is hereunto annexed that one John Taylor stands charged with the crime of Robbery committed in the County of Pinal in the Territory of Arizona.

And Whereas it is represented to me that he has fled from Justice and is now under arrest at Los Angeles in the State of California for said crime.

Now therefore I John J Gosper Acting Governor in pursuance of the Statute in such cases made and provided do hereby require that the said John Taylor be delivered to who is hereby duly authorized to receive and convey him to the Territory of Arizona there to be dealt with according to law.

In Witness whereof I have set my hand and caused to be annexed the great Seal of the Territory of Arizona.

Seal

Great Prescott this 19th day of June AD. 1899.

John J Gosper
Acting Governor

John J Gosper
Secretary of Territory
By J. E. Anderson Asst Sec

Office of the Executive
Territory of Arizona

Whereas at the June term of the District Court, holden in the County of Yavapai in the year 1879 Bernhard Gast was convicted of Grand Larceny and was sentenced to the penitentiary in the Territorial prison for the term of one year, and whereas the Board of Supervisors of the County of Yavapai have requested that we commute the sentence from that imprisonment in the Territorial prison to imprisonment in the county jail of the said County of Yavapai for the same length of time. Now therefore I, John Gosper, Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona do hereby order and direct that the said Bernhard Gast shall be retained in the custody of the Sheriff of the County of Yavapai and shall be made to serve out his sentence in and about the jail of the County of Yavapai.

In Witness Whereof I have caused the Great Seal of the Territory to be affixed in connection with my official signature this 26th day of July A.D. 1879.

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

Seal

William Sparks
Secretary of Arizona.

Territory of Arizona
Executive Office

To the Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona
To the Sheriff of Pima County — Greeting

Whereas Leon Landobal was at the March term of the District Court for the County of Pima 1879, convicted of Assault and Battery, and sentenced to pay a fine of $500.00 or be imprisoned in the County Jail for one year. And, whereas said Leon Landobal having commenced in November 1878 has been confined in Jail since then and he having behaved well and the District Attorney with the other County officers asks that in consideration of the foregoing that his fine may be reduced to $100.00 in place of $500.00 as it now stands.

Now therefore I John J. Gosper Acting Governor of Arizona Territory do hereby commute said fine to one Hundred Dollars and do direct you on the payment of said amount into the County Treasury by said Leon Landobal to set him free.

Given under my hand and the great seal of the Territory of Arizona at Prescott this 24th day of July A.D. 1879.

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

(Seal)

John J. Gosper,
Secretary of Territory
By J. B. Anderson Asst Sec.

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Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

To the Sheriff of Yavapai County

Charles E. Blackburn having been tried and Convicted of a felony and now under sentence for the same being in very poor health and fast sinking under Confinement. And the Judge who tried him together with the officers of the Court and a number of others having petitioned that he be pardoned as in their opinion he has suffered sufficiently for his offence

Now therefore I John J Gosper Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona do hereby pardon him, and hereby direct that you give the said Charles E Blackburn his freedom

Seal

Given under my hand and the great seal of the Territory of Arizona at Prescott this 28th day of June AD 1879.

John J Gosper
Acting Gov

John J Gosper Sec of Ter
By J E Anderson Asst Sec of Ter.

Proclamation

Whereas, The forceable stopping of stages upon the public highway for the purpose of rifling the Mails and robbing the express and passengers by a certain class of lawless villains is becoming alarmingly frequent—

Therefore I, John J. Gosper, Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona do hereby authorize the payment— out— of the Territorial Treasury the sum of five hundred (500) dollars to any individual who shall kill by means of firearms or otherwise the highway robber while in the act— or attempt— of robbing the Mail or express or search of the passengers, and the sum of three hundred (300) dollars shall be paid for the capture and conviction of any one connected with the robbing of Stage express or passengers as above mentioned.

This offer is to take effect from this date and to continue of full force and effect— until by proper authority the same may be rescinded.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona.

Seal

Done at Prescott this twelfth day of August— A. D. 1879

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory
By J E Anderson
Asst Sec. of Ter

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Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

The Governor of the Territory of Arizona to his Excellency, the Judge of Bisbee

Whereas it appears by complaint made to me that your Excellency holds a horse and two burros that belong to one Michael O'Reilly and that you require an order from me before you would give up said stock.

Now therefore I, John J. Gosper Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona require that you should turn over to said Michael O'Reilly or his Agent said stock, providing there shall be no charges to the Territory for recovering same

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona Done at Prescott this twelfth day of August A.D. 1893

Seal

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory
By John E. Anderson
Asst Secty.

Proclamation

Whereas, It is absolutely necessary for the general welfare that the highways of the Territory be kept open and safe for the unmolested passage of travelers and mails; and

Whereas, Highway robberies of unusually frequent occurrence had rendered vigorous measures necessary which I desire to continue in force for the public safety; Now therefore I, J. C. Frémont, Governor of the Territory of Arizona, do hereby offer a reward of five hundred dollars for the apprehension and conviction of any person or persons engaged or known to have been engaged in any highway robbery;

And for the reason that the law empowers the Governor of the Territory to offer rewards only "for the apprehension and conviction of criminals," I do hereby revoke and withdraw a proclamation issued by the acting Governor bearing date August 12 – 1859.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great seal of the Territory of Arizona, this seventeenth day of October 1859.

Seal

J. C. Frémont
Governor

Attest
John Leeper
Secretary of Territory

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department.

To All to whom these presents shall come
Greeting,

It has been made known to me that in October 1876 George Vollmer was arraigned before the District Court of the third Judicial District of this Territory, Charged with the crime of Grand Larceny; And that the said Vollmer was found guilty as charged and on the 25th day of October 1876 was sentenced to be imprisoned in the Territorial Prison for the term of Six Years; And whereas a petition numerously signed by prominent citizens of Yuma and other parts of this Territory among whom are the Territorial Prison Commissioners, the Superintendant and Warden and other officers of the Territorial Prison, has been laid before me requesting the pardon of the said Vollmer upon the ground of exceptional good conduct during three years of his sentence already served, and because of other extenuating circumstances; Now therefore, for the reasons urged in the petition, and because I am of opinion that the ends of Justice in this case have been satisfied by the punishment which the prisoner has already endured, I, John C. Frémont, Governor of the Territory of Arizona do hereby grant a full pardon to the said George Vollmer and direct that he be released and set at liberty.

Seal

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona, Done at Prescott this 6th day of Nov 1879.

J. C. Frémont
Governor

Attest,
~~John J Gosper~~
~~Secretary of Territory~~
By John E Anderson
Asst Sec of Ter

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Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

To all to whom these Presents shall come Greeting:

It has been made known to me that in May 1876 John Hoover having been arraigned before the District Court of the 3rd Judicial District of this Territory, charged with the crimes of Grand Larceny and perjury, was, on the 10th and 22nd of the month of May 1876, convicted on both charges and sentenced to three years imprisonment in the Territorial Prison for the crime of larceny and two years additional for that of perjury; And whereas a petition signed by Members of the bar and other influential citizens has been laid before me requesting the pardon of the said Hoover upon the ground that he has fully served out his sentence for the crime of larceny and a portion of his term for that of perjury. And that his conduct has been unexceptionally good during the time of his imprisonment. And whereas executive clemency in this case is recomended by the Judge of the court by which he was tried; Now therefore, in consideration of the reasons urged, and because I am of opinion that the object of the law has been sufficiently accomplished by the punishment which the prisoner has already received. I, John C. Frémont, Governor of the Territory of Arizona, do hereby grant a full pardon to the said John Hoover and direct that he be released and set free.

Seal

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona. Done at Prescott this 6th day of November 1879.

J. C. Frémont
Governor

Attest
John E. Anderson
Asst Sec of Ter.

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department.

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting.

Whereas it has been made known to me that Lizzie Gallagher was arraigned before the District Court of the second Judicial District in November 1878 upon the charge of Murder and was upon the admission of her plea of guilty of Manslaughter sentenced to fifteen months imprisonment in the Territorial Prison. And Whereas a petition has been presented to me signed generally by the good and responsible citizens of Yuma asking the remission of her further punishment, upon satisfactory grounds and on account also of her youth and good conduct during solitary confinement, Now therefore for the reasons above given and because her pardon is strongly urged by the Judge before whom she was tried I, John C. Frémont, Governor of the Territory of Arizona, do hereby grant full pardon to the said Lizzie Gallagher and direct that she be set at Liberty.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Territory of Arizona this ~~twenty~~ second day of November 1878.

Seal

J. C. Frémont
Governor

John J. Gosper Sec of Ter
By John E. Anderson Asst Sec of Ter

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

To All whom it may concern.

Whereas it has been made known to me that Elhanan J. McDonald was in October 1878 arraigned before the District Court of the Second Judicial District of this Territory charged with the crime of Manslaughter and was on the 24th day of the said month of October sentenced to imprisonment in the Territorial Prison for the period of One year which term of imprisonment has been fully served and the said McDonald released from confinement And whereas the trial Jurors in this case including the foreman of the Jury have requested a full pardon for McDonald upon the ground that in rendering their verdict they recommended to the court the greatest clemency in passing sentence upon the prisoner for the reason that three pistol shots had been fired at him before the act of manslaughter was committed.

Now therefore for the above reason and because the Judge before whom he was tried concurs in the request of the Jury, I John C. Fremont Governor of the Territory of Arizona do hereby grant full pardon to the said Elhanan McDonald to the end that with his restoration to liberty he may also be restored to the quality of Citizen

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Territory at Prescott this Eighth day of December in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight hundred and Seventy Nine

Seal

J. C. Fremont
Governor

John J. Gosper Sec of Ter
By J. E. Anderson asst Sec of Ter

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department
Prescott 8 December 1879

Senor,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your communication of the second inst. enclosing for my information the recognition by the President of the United States of America of your appointment by the United States of Mexico to be consul for the Territory of Arizona to reside at Tucson.

It will give me pleasure to have your cooperation in promoting a friendly intercourse and commerce between the citizens of the two republics along the frontier and I shall at all times be glad to have from you any information or suggestion in regard to it.

Herewith I return the Exequatur of the President which has been made of record here; and with it I beg you to receive the assurance of my distinguished consideration

J. C. Fremont
Governor of the Territory of Arizona

Al Senor
Don Francisco L. Prieto
Consul of the United States of Mexico
for the Territory of Arizona Tucson

Rutherford B. Hayes
President of the United States of America
To all whom it may concern,

Satisfactory evidence having been exhibited to me that Francisco L. Prieto has been appointed Consul of the United States of Mexico for the Territory of Arizona to reside at Tucson, I do hereby recognize him as such and declare him free to exercise and enjoy such functions, powers and privileges as are allowed to the Consuls of the most favored nations in the United States.

Seal U.S.A.

In Testimony whereof I have caused these letters to be made Patent, and the Seal of the United States to be hereunto affixed. Given under my hand at the City of Washington the 30th day of October A.D. 1879 and of the Independence of the United States of America the 104.

R. B. Hayes

By the President
Wm. M. Evarts
Secretary of State

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

To All whom it may concern:

Know Ye that I, John C Fremont, Governor of the Territory of Arizona, have authorized and empowered and by these presents do Authorize and empower Thomas Sherman to take and receive, from any Magistrate Sheriff or other officer of this Territory who may have him in charge one James Ryan who is a fugitive from Justice charged with Murder committed in the county of San Diego State of California. And convey him to the line of this Territory and there turn him over to the proper authorities of California to be dealt with according to law.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Territory of Arizona at Prescott this tenth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seven nine.

Seal

J C Frémont
Governor

J. J. Gosper Sec of Ter
B J Anderson
Asst Sec of Ter.

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department
Prescott Dec 20 1879.

To Wm B Stokes Esq
Surprise Flat Yuma County Arizona Territory

Sir

I have received and hereby accept your resignation of your Commission to be a Notary Public in and for the County of Yuma, your letter of resignation together with a copy of the letter of Acceptance will be placed on file in the office of the Secretary of the Territory and you will please deposit in the office of the County Recorder of your County all records and other papers relating to your office agreeable the requirements of the law.

I am unable to comply with your request to have your bond Cancelled for the reason that I have no authority under the law to do so. it must remain uncancelled in the recorders office but the effect of your resignation is to render it void except as to any and every thing that may have taken place previous to your resignation

Respectfully Yours
J C Fremont
Governor

(Seal)
John J Ayres Sec of Ter
John E Anderson
Actg Sec of Ter

Territory of Arizona

Executive Department

To All whom it may concern.

Know ye that I John C Fremont Governor of the Territory of Arizona Conformably to the Treaty of Extradition between the United States of America and the United ~~States~~ of Mexico proclaimed by the Presidents of the United ~~States~~ June 10 - 1862, have authorized and empowered And by these present do authorize and empower Chas A Shibell Sheriff of the County of Pima in this Territory to arrest and hold subject to delivery to Francisco Martinez Carrizoza, the duly appointed Agent of the Perfect of the District of Altas Sonora Mexico. the persons of Tomas Bustamenta, Juan Bustamente Antonio Bustamente and Precilano Lunio. Who are claimed as fugitives from Justice Charged with murder Committed in the District of Altas Sonora, the Same to be delivered for extradition into the custody of the said agent Francisco Martinez Carrizoza upon the production of such evidence of criminality as according to the laws of this Territory would justify their Apprehension and Commitment for trial if the Crime of which they are accused had been committed within this Territory

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Territory of Arizona at ~~Prescott this twenty~~ second day of December in the year of our lord one thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy Nine

(Seal)

John C Fremont
Governor

John Gosper
Sec of Ter

John C. Anderson
Acting Sec of Ter

Territory of Arizona.
Executive Department

To All to whom these Present Shall come
Greeting

Whereas it has been made known to me that Bernard Vogt, was in the Month of June 1879 arraigned before the District Court of the Third Judicial District of this Territory charged with the crime of Murder and was after trial and conviction of Manslaughter sentenced on the twenty eighth day of June 1879. to imprisonment for the term of

And Whereas petitions numerously signed by responsible citizens have been presented to me from Prescott and from Mineral Park substantiating the good character for which the prisoner had been well known among the citizens and also expressing great doubts ~~[illegible]~~ as to his guilt of the crime for which he had been convicted. And further because the Jury before which he was tried did in their verdict recommend him to the consideration of the court for the lightest possible punishment, Now therefore in consideration of the facts above set forth I do hereby grant a full pardon to the said Bernard Vogt to take effect from and after the thirty first day of this Month of December 1879,

Seal

Given under my hand and the seal of the Territory of Arizona at Prescott this thirteenth day of December One thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy Nine.

John J. Gosper
Sec'y of Ter
By John E. Anderson
Acting Secretary.

J. C. Fremont
Governor

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

To all to whom these present shall come, Greeting:

It has been made known to me that William Partridge was, on the 21st day of August 1877, Arraigned before the District Court of the Third Judicial District of this Territory charged with the Crime of Murder and that after being adjudged guilty of Murder in the second degree and recommended to the mercy of the court he was on the 5th day of September 1877 sentenced to imprisonment in the Territorial Prison for and during the term of his Natural life. And whereas a petition for his pardon has been laid before me which is numerously signed by responsible and influential citizens personally informed of the previous reputable life and Character of the prisoner and of the circumstances of his crime; Now therefore in compliance with this request which expresses the general wish of the community in behalf of the prisoner and because he is recommended by the Judge of the Court before which he was tried as a fit subject for Executive clemency in consideration of his age and failing health and the doubt existing in many minds as to the degree of his guilt. I John C. Fremont, Governor of the Territory of Arizona, do hereby Grant a full pardon to the said William Partridge and direct that he be set at liberty.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Territory at Prescott this Sixteenth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and Eighty

Seal

John J. Gosper, Secretary
J. E. Anderson
Asst Sec'y Ter.

J. C. Fremont
Governor

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

To All To whom these presents shall come. Greeting.
And especially to the Sheriff of Pima County Arizona Territory

Whereas it appears that his Excellency William Irwin Governor of the State of California issued to one a requisition dated at Sacramento in the State of California on the 16th day of December A.D. 1879. for the purpose of apprehending and duly delivering up one John McHaskill charged therein with the commission of a Criminal Misdemeanor against the laws of the State of California.

And Whereas, it satisfactorily appears that said John McHaskill is now in Pima County in said Territory of Arizona.

Now Therefore I John C. Frémont Governor of the Territory of Arizona by virtue of the authority in me vested by law and in accordance with the provisions of the Revised Statutes of the United States of America, Section 5278 do hereby command and authorize you, said Sheriff of Pima County aforesaid to arrest the said John McHaskill and him safely keep until he is disposed of according to law and the provisions of said requisition. which is hereto annexed And which together with these presents, shall constitute your authority in the premises.

Seal

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona to be affixed at Prescott this 3rd day of February A.D. 1880.

J. C. Frémont
Governor

John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory
By

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

Whereas it has been made known to me that Charles Boyer was arraigned before the District Court of the first Judicial District of this Territory at the adjourned February term of 1879 charged with the crime of Murder, and that he was after trial and conviction sentenced on the 21st day of May 1879 to suffer the penalty of death, and whereas after a careful examination of the proceedings had in this case I am of opinion that the demands of Justice will be satisfied by life imprisonment of the criminal; Now therefore I John C. Fremont Governor of the Territory of Arizona, do hereby commute the penalty of death which was adjudged to the said Charles Boyer for imprisonment in the Territorial Prison during the term of his natural life

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Territory of Arizona at Prescott this twenty seventh day of February this year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty

Seal

J. C. Fremont
Governor

John J. Gosper
Sec of Ter
H. W. John E. Anderson
Act Sec of Ter.

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

To all whom it may concern:

Know ye that I John C Fremont Governor of the Territory of Arizona, conformably to the treaty of Extradition between the United States of America and the Republic of Mexico, proclaimed by the President of the United States June 10th 1862, have authorized and empowered Chas A Shibell Sheriff of the county of Pima, in this Territory to arrest and deliver to Francisco Martinez Carrisasa the duly appointed Agent of the Perfect of the District of Altar, in the State of Sonora Mexico, the persons of Tomas Bustamente Jesus Bustamente, Antonio Bustamente and Precilriano Luiras, who are claimed as fugitives from Justice charged with murder committed in the District of Altar in the State of Sonora; And I do hereby authorize and empower the said Francisco Martinez Carrisasa to take and receive from the Said Sheriff Chas A Shibell or any other Magistrate or officer who may have them in charge the Said Tomas Bustamente Jesus Bustamente, Antonio Bustamente and Precilriano Luiros and Convey them to the line of this Territory there to be turned over to the proper Authorities of Mexico to be dealt with according to law.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Territory of Arizona at Prescott this eighth day of March in the year our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and eighty

Seal

J. C. Fremont
Governor

Attest
John J Gosper
Secretary of Territory

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

To All whom it may Concern

Know ye that I John C Frémont Governor of the Territory of Arizona, Conformably to the treaty of Extradition between the United States of America and the Republic of Mexico proclaimed by the President of the United States June 10th 1862 have Authorized and empowered Chas. A Shibell Sheriff of the County of Pima in this Territory to arrest and deliver to Francisco Martinez Carrisosa the duly appointed Agent of the Prefect of the District of Altar in the State of Sonora Mexico, the persons of Tomas Bustamente, Jesus Bustamente, Antonio Bustamente and Precilliano Duro who are claimed as fugitives from Justice charged with murder committed in the District of Altar in the State of Sonora, And I do hereby authorize and empower the said Francisco Martinez Carrisosa to take and receive from the said Sheriff Chas A Shibell or another officer who may have them in charge the said Tomas Bustamente Jesus Bustamente Antonio Bustamente and Precilliano Duro and convey them to the line of this Territory there to be turned over to the proper authorities of Mexico to be dealt with according to law.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Territory of Arizona at Prescott this eighth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and eight

Seal

J. C. Frémont
Governor

Attest
John Gosper
Secretary of Territory

Territory of Arizona
Executive Office

The Governor of the Territory of Arizona to his Excellency the Governor of the Territory of New Mexico.

Whereas it appears by information duly laid before me that Ignacio Barel is under indictment at Florence in Pinal County in this Territory for Grand Larceny and that said Ignacio Barel has fled from Justice and taken refuge in the Territory of New Mexico.

Now therefore in pursuance of the Statute in such cases made and provided I John J. Gosper Acting Governor of the said Territory of Arizona do hereby require that the said Ignacio Barel be apprehended and delivered to who is hereby authorized to receive and convey him to the Territory of Arizona there to be dealt with according to law.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of Arizona Territory. Done at Prescott this twentieth day of March A.D. 1880.

Seal

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

John J. Gosper Secretary
By John E. Anderson Asst Secretary.

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Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

Whereas it has been made known to me that Branlio Pomez was arraigned before the District Court of the First Judicial District of this Territory at the February term of 1879, charged with the crime of an Assault with attempt to commit Rape and that he was after trial and conviction sentenced to imprisonment in the Territorial Prison at Yuma for the period of Eighteen Months.

And Whereas a petition signed by a number of the leading citizens of Tucson and Several Jurors in the case has been presented to me in his behalf and stating that the evidence on which he was convicted was not conclusive.

Now Therefore I John J Gosper Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona in view of the above facts hereby ordered that the Said Branlio Pomez be set free and do hereby grant him a full pardon.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Territory of Arizona Done at Prescott this thirty first day of March A.D. 1880.

(Seal)

John J Gosper
Acting Governor

John J Gosper Secy Territory
By John E Anderson and Sec. of Ter.

Territory of Arizona
Executive Office

To all to whom these presents shall come
Greeting
Whereas at the April term of the Second District Court held in the County of Maricopa A.D. 1880 Santiago Montes was convicted of the crime of Rape and sentenced to be imprisoned in the Territorial Prison for the term of five years.
Now a petition numerously signed having been laid before me asking for executive Clemency on his behalf on the grounds that he was convicted on the testimony of two persons belonging to the ignorant and lowest class of society, that there are grave doubts of his guilt, that he was but eighteen years old when convicted and has already been imprisoned over two years and six months, that since he has been confined in the Prison he has conducted himself in such a manner as to win the respect of the prison officials who recommend his release
Now therefore I, John J. Gosper Acting Governor of the Territory in consideration of the above and for other reasons do hereby grant a full pardon to said Santiago Montes and direct that he be set at liberty.
In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona
Done at Prescott this 28 th day of May A.D. 1880
John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

Seal

John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory
By John E. Anderson
Asst Sec of Ter.

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

Whereas, I have been officially informed of the fact that one Charles W. Redinger was indicted for Murder by the Grand Jury of the County of Colusa at its July term 1879, and was afterwards tried and convicted of said crime of Murder and imprisoned, and who afterwards escaped therefrom, and is now at large, a fugitive from Justice and is supposed to be within the limits of the Territory of Arizona,

Now, therefore, in accordance with law and in obedience to a requisition from the Governor of the State of California

I, John J. Gosper, Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona do hereby order and direct that the said Charles W. Redinger shall be delivered into the hands and custody of D. W. Arnold, who is hereby authorized to receive or assist the said Charles W. Redinger for the purpose of delivering him into the hands of the proper officer having charge of him during the time for which he was sentenced.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory

Done at Prescott this 18th day of July A.D. 1880

Seal

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

By the Governor

John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory

Requisition on Page 396 should be on this page

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

To the Sheriff of Yavapai County
Whereas, at the last term of the District Court for the above County, James Prendville was convicted of Petit Larceny and sentenced for a certain Period of Confinement in the County Jail and
Whereas a petition numerously signed by our most influential citizens has been presented to me asking for the release from imprisonment of the said Prendville upon grounds and for reasons sufficient and abundant.
Now therefore, I, John J. Gosper, Acting Governor do hereby extend to James Prendville a free and full pardon and reprieve and do hereby request the Sheriff of Yavapai County to set him at liberty.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory

Seal

Done at Prescott this 15th day of July A.D. 1880
John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory.

Proclamation on page 392 should be here

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

To all to whom these presents shall come
Greeting

Whereas, it has been made known to me that James Ramsey was arraigned before Justice Cate's court on the charge of Assault to Commit Murder and was on the 24th day of July sentenced to be confined in the county jail for forty days. and Whereas, a petition for his pardon has been laid before me numerously signed by responsible citizens, and the Justice before whom he was tried and the officers who have him in charge. recommend that he be pardoned

Now therefore I, John J. Gosper Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona do hereby pardon the said James Ramsey, and order that he be set at liberty.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Territory at Prescott this third day of August A.D. 1880

Seal

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

Attest
John E. Sanderson
Asst. Secretary of Territory

This should be on page 391

Apportionment Proclamation
Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

In pursuance of "An Act to provide for the Apportionment of the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Arizona" passed by the tenth Legislative Assembly, whereby the Governor is required to apportion the Members of the Council and House of Representatives among the several representative districts, on the basis of the certified returns of the Census Marshal, to this office, of the population of the Territory by Counties.

I, John J. Gosper, Acting Governor do hereby apportion, according to law, as nearly equal as practicable, pro rata, the number of Members of the Council & House of Representatives to which each representative district by County is entitled, as follows, to wit:

For the Council

Pima County – Five Members
Maricopa County – Two Members
Yavapai County – One Member
Apache County – One Member
Pinal County – One Member
Yuma County – One Member
Mohave County – One Member

For House of Representatives

Pima County – Eleven Members
Maricopa County – Three Members
Yavapai County – Three Members
Apache County – Two Members
Pinal County – Two Members
Yuma County – Two Members
Mohave County – One Member

Seal

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona

Done at Prescott this second day of August A.D. 1880

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

Attest–
John E. Anderson
Acting Secretary of Territory

Requisition on page 392 should be here

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

Election Proclamation

To All Whom it May Concern

Whereas, under an Act of the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Arizona entitled "An Act to provide for General and Special Elections" it is provided there shall be held throughout the Territory of Arizona on the Tuesday after the first Monday in November A.D. 1880, an election for Members of the Legislative Assembly and such other officers as may be required by law to be chosen at such election, and Whereas it is further provided in said Act that it shall be the duty of the Governor at least thirty days before any general election to issue his proclamation designating the offices to be filled at such election.

Now therefore, I, John J. Gosper, Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona in pursuance of the duty enjoined upon me do hereby order a general election to be held upon the day prescribed in said Act, to wit: the second day of November A.D. 1880, and also designate the following as the offices to be filled at said election, to wit:

One (1) Delegate to the Forty-seventh Congress of the United States, One Superintendent of Public Schools in the Territory, Twelve (12) Members of the Council of the Legislative Assembly of the Territory, and Twenty four (24) Members of the House of Representatives of said Assembly, apportioned as follows, to wit:

Members of the Council

Pima	County	—	Five (5)
Maricopa	do	—	Two (2)
Yavapai	do	—	One (1)
Apache	do	—	One (1)
Pinal	do	—	One (1)
Yuma	do	—	One (1)
Mohave	do	—	One (1)

continued

Members of the House

Pima County	—	Eleven	(11)
Maricopa Do	—	Three	(3)
Yavapai Do	—	Three	(3)
Apache Do	—	Two	(2)
Pinal Do	—	Two	(2)
Yuma Do	—	Two	(2)
Mohave Do	—	One	(1)

Also in each County in the Territory Two (2) Members of the Board of Supervisors, a Sheriff, a District-Attorney, a County Recorder, a Probate Judge, a County Treasurer, a County Surveyor, Two (2) Coroners and a Public Administrator, Also in each Election Precinct in each County One (1) and not more than Two (2) Constables, and Two (2) Justices of the Peace, and in each Precinct containing a population of more than Eight Hundred (800) persons, to be ascertained by the Board of Supervisors, One (1) additional Justice and also in each School District in each County Three (3) School Trustees

Seal

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona Done at Prescott this Second day of October A.D. 1880

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

Attest-
John E. Anderson
Asst Sec of Ter.

Requisition on page 398 should be here

Proclamation
Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

Whereas, It appears by information laid before me that in January 1880 a man by the name of Blume and a young man named Waldron while on their road from the Little Colorado River to Prescott, are supposed to have been murdered at or near Chavis Pass. Now therefore, I, John J. Gosper, Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona, do hereby offer a reward of Three Hundred ($300) dollars for the arrest of the murderer or murderers of said Blume and Waldron, said reward to become due and payable only upon the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who committed the crime

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Territory to be affixed

Done at Prescott this 4th day of October A.D. 1880.

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

Seal

By John E. Anderson
Asst Secretary of Territory

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Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

John J. Gosper, Acting Governor to
His Excellency, The Governor of the Province
or State of Sonora

Whereas, it has been represented to me, as per attached affidavits and from other authorative sources that one Fred Robinson has been guilty of committing various crimes against the laws of this Territory as set forth in the annexed affidavits and that he has fled from the Justice of this Territory and has taken refuge in the Province or State of Sonora,

Now therefore pursuant to the provisions of a certain Treaty between the United States and Mexico I do hereby request that the said Fred Robinson be apprehended and delivered to J. W. Evans who is hereby authorized to receive and convey him to the Territory of Arizona there to be dealt with according to law.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Territory to be affixed

Seal

Done at Prescott this 14th day of July 1880

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

By the Governor.

John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory.

This should be on Page 393

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

The Governor of the Territory of Arizona to His Excellency the Governor of the State of California

Whereas, it appears by information duly laid before me that one W. G. Morse is charged with the crime of Embezzlement in the County of Pima in this Territory. That said W. G. Morse has fled from Justice and taken refuge in the State of California. A certified copy of the Complaint on which Warrant for arrest of said Morse, is hereunto attached.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided, I John J. Gosper, Acting Governor of the said Territory of Arizona, do hereby require that the said W. G. Morse be apprehended and delivered to T. B. Walker who is hereby authorized to receive and convey him to the Territory of Arizona there to be dealt with according to law. This requisition is issued on condition that none of the expenses incurred in the return of said W. G. Morse shall be chargeable to the Executive Department of the Territory of Arizona.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory

Seal

Done at Prescott this 16th day of August A.D. 1880

By the Governor

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

Attest
John E. Anderson
Asst Secretary of Territory.

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Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

The Governor of the Territory of Arizona to His Excellency the Governor of the State of Sonora Mexico.

Whereas it appears by information duly laid before me that one G. Van Strueve is charged with the crime of forgery in the County of Pima and Territory of Arizona. That said Van Strueve has fled from Justice and taken refuge in the state of Sonora Mexico. A copy of the complaint on which warrant for arrest of said Van Strueve was issued is hereunto attached.

Now therefore, in pursuance of the Extradition Treaty existing between the United States and Mexico, I, John J. Gosper Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona do hereby request that the said G. Van Strueve be apprehended and delivered to who is hereby authorized to receive and convey him to the Territory of Arizona there to be dealt with according to law, on condition that none of the expenses incurred in the return of said Van Strueve shall be chargeable to the Executive Department of the Territory of Arizona

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona

Seal

Done at Prescott this 27th day of August A.D. 1880

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

J. E. Anderson
Asst. Secretary of Territory

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department
Prescott Nov 1880

Whereas it has been made known to me that Henry Perd was on the sixth day of July 1880 tried and convicted in a Justices Court at Tucson in the County of Pima of the offense of Assault and Battery and thereupon was sentenced to imprisonment in the common jail of the said county for the term of One hundred and fifty days.

And Whereas, a petition has been presented to me signed by respectable citizens of Tucson requesting the pardon of the said Henry Perd;

Now therefore in consideration of this request and because the said Henry Perd has already served out about four Months of his sentence

I, John C. Fremont, Governor of the Territory of Arizona, do hereby grant a full pardon to the said Henry Perd and direct that he be set at liberty

Seal

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Territory to be affixed at Prescott this 8th day of November 1880

By the Governor
J. C. Fremont

Attest
John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory

Thanksgiving Proclamation

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department
Prescott Nov 8th 1880

In conformity to the Proclamation of the President of the United States, I hereby recommend the people of this Territory to set apart Thursday the 25th day of the present Month as a day of thanksgiving and prayer; and I earnestly invite them to unite on the day appointed in their usual places of worship, and at their own family altars, and there in union with all people throughout the land to offer their grateful thanks to Almighty God for the security and peace and the signal and expanding prosperity with which it has pleased Him to bless our country; and in all of which the people of Arizona have had a great and growing part.

Seal

Given under my hand and the seal of the Territory of Arizona, at Prescott, this 8th day of November, in the year of our Lord 1880

J. C. Fremont

By the Governor
John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory

Proclamation by the Governor
Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

Whereas, it has come to my knowledge that on the second day of November 1870 at Williamson Valley Yavapai County in said Territory of Arizona one Philip McDonald did kill Frank Richardson and said McDonald being now at large

Now, therefore I, John C. Fremont, Governor of the Territory of Arizona do hereby offer a reward of three hundred Dollars for the arrest and delivery of the said McDonald to the Sheriff of any County in said Territory.

In witness whereof I have hereunto signed my name and affixed the seal of the Territory of Arizona at Prescott this twenty fifth day of November in the year of our Lord One Thousand, Eight hundred and Eighty.

(Seal)

J. C. Fremont
Governor

Attest
John G. Spencer
Secretary of Territory

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

To the Sheriff of Yavapai County
Sir

In the case of James Armstrong who was convicted for Assault & Battery before Justice Henry M Fleury on the 6th day of November 1880 and fined $100.00 or 100 days imprisonment in the County Jail, who in default of payment of the said $100.00 was committed to jail, is hereby ordered to be set at liberty upon the written request of the Justice who pronounced the said judgment against him. the District Attorney ~~[illegible]~~ and others who now think the ends of Justice have been fully met in this particular case

Witness my hand and the Seal of the Territory hereunto affixed this Seventh (7th) day of Dec. A D. 1880

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

Seal

Attest
John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory

Territory of Arizona
Office of the Executive

To the Sheriff of Pima County
You will please set at-
liberty James K Fanning who was sen-
tenced October 12th 1880 to Three Months
imprisonment in the County Jail
Witness my hand and the
Seal of the Territory this
15th day of Dec. A. D. 1880
John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

Seal

Attest
John J Gosper
Secretary of Territory

Territory of Arizona
Office of the Executive
To the Warden & Officers of the Territorial Prison at Yuma A.T.

Sirs

Exercising the authority vested in the Executive and in order to save the right of citizenship to one James Ryan whose term of imprisonment is about to expire, I do hereby authorize you to set at liberty the said John Ryan at least one Month before the time at which his term expires.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to have been affixed the Great Seal of the Territory Done at Prescott this 25th day of Dec 1880

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

Seal

~~Attest~~
John J Gosper
Secretary

Proclamation

Whereas it has been reported to me upon reliable authority that a murder of unusual atrocity has been recently committed at Arivaca in the County of Pima by one Joseph Elliott after arrest was rescued and forcibly freed from the custody of the officers of the law. Now therefore I John C. Fremont Governor of the Territory of Arizona do hereby offer a reward of five hundred dollars for the apprehension and conviction of the said Joseph Elliott and two hundred and fifty dollars for the apprehension and conviction of each and every one of the persons engaged in the rescue of the said Elliott.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Territory of Arizona at Prescott this eleventh day of February A.D. 1881

Seal

J. C. Fremont
Governor

Attest
John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory

Territory of Arizona Executive Department
Prescott January 12 1881

To All to whom these presents shall come greeting,
Whereas it has been made known to me that Francisco Grijalva was on the fifth day of February 1879 arraigned before the District Court of the Third Judicial District of this Territory charged with the crime of Murder and being convicted of Manslaughter was on the 7th day of the said month of February sentenced to imprisonment in the Territorial Prison for the term of five years, and whereas a petition for the remission of his punishment numerously signed by responsible citizens of the County of Pima and supported by the recommendation of Delegates from that County to the present Legislature has been presented to me; Now therefore in consideration of the premises and of certain extenuating circumstances which have become known to me, I John C Fremont Governor of the Territory of Arizona, do hereby grant a full pardon to the said Francisco Grijalva and direct that he be set at liberty,

Seal

Given under my hand and the seal of the Territory of Arizona at Prescott, this twelfth day of January A.D. eighteen hundred and eighty One.

J. C. Fremont
Governor

John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory
By John P. Anderson
Asst. Sec. of Ter.

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department
Prescott January 31-1881

To all to whom these Presents Shall come, Greeting;

Whereas it has been made known to me that A. C. Willis was on the 22 day of October, 1880, before Charles H. Meyer a Justice of the peace at Tucson in and for the County of Pima, tried and convicted of Assault and battery and sentenced to six months imprisonment in the County Jail, and whereas, a petition has been laid before me signed by respectable citizens of Tucson, among them the District Attorney and Sheriff of the County, requesting the remission of farther punishment; Now, therefore in consideration of the reasons alleged in the petition and because the Justice of the peace before whom the said Willis was tried declared that he would have rendered a "Materially different" Judgement if certain facts which have since come to his knowledge had been brought out at the trial and that he therefore considers the punishment already undergone quite sufficient to answer the ends of law; I John C. Fremont Governor of the Territory of Arizona, do hereby grant a full pardon to the said A. C. Willis and direct that he be set at liberty.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the seal of the Territory of Arizona at Prescott this thirty first day of January A.D. 1881.

Seal

J. C. Fremont
Governor

John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department
Prescott Feby 9th 1881

To any Sheriff or other peace officer in this Territory

Whereas a requisition from his excellency the Governor of the State of California has been presented to me requesting that Joseph Goldwater who is a fugitive from justice charged with the crime of Misdemeanor committed in the state of California and who is said to have taken refuge in this Territory be apprehended and delivered to Appleton W Stone the duly authorized agent to receive and convey Joseph Goldwater to the State of California, and whereas copies of the information Affidavits Warrant and Return thereto have been laid before me duly certified as authentic; Now therefore pursuant to the provisions of the Constitution and laws of the United States, in such case made and provided, I J C Fremont Governor of the Territory of Arizona do require and command you to arrest and deliver the above named Joseph Goldwater to the said Appleton W Stone who is hereby authorized and empowered to receive the said Joseph Goldwater and convey him to the State of California there to be dealt with according to law. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Seal of the Territory of Arizona at Prescott this Ninth day of February A.D. 1881.

Seal

J C Fremont
Governor

J J Gosper
Sec of Ter
B J E Anderson
Asst Sec of Ter

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Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

Whereas, by an Act of the Legislative Assembly creating the County of Gila, Approved February 8th AD 1881 it is ordered that a special election shall be held in the County of Gila on the first Monday of April 1881 for such officers as by law provided public notice is hereby given that a special election will accordingly be held in the County of Gila on the first Monday of April next for the following County and Precinct officers, Namely; A Probate Judge, A District Attorney, A County Recorder, three Members of the Board of Supervisors, A Sheriff, A County Treasurer, A County Surveyor. two Coroners and a Public Administrator, also in each election precinct two Justices of the Peace, and one and not more than two Constables and in each precinct containing a population of more than eight hundred persons, to be ascertained by the Board of Supervisors an Additional Justice of the Peace and also in each School District three Trustees,

Seal

Given under my hand and the seal of the Territory of Arizona, at Prescott this third day of March AD, 1881

J. C. Fremont
Governor

Attest
John J. Gosper
Secretary Territory

Territory of Arizona, Executive Department

To any Sheriff, Marshall, or Peace Officer in this Territory

Whereas, a requisition from his Excellency the Governor of the Territory of Utah has been presented to me demanding that Alma Pirly and Seely Orono who are fugitives from Justice charged with the crime of Grand Larceny committed in the County of Weber in the Territory of Utah and who are said to have taken refuge in this Territory be apprehended and delivered to P. H. Paul and John, H. Turner who are constituted and appointed agents of the Territory of Utah duly authorized to receive and convey Alma Pirly and Seely Orono to the Territory of Utah and whereas copies of the indictment and warrant have been laid before me duly certified or authenticated, Now Therefore, pursuant to the Constitution and laws of the United States in such case made and provided, I, John C Fremont, Governor of the Territory of Arizona, do hereby require and command you to arrest and deliver the above named Alma Pirly and Seely Orono to the said Agents P. H. Paul and John, H. Turner who are hereby authorized and empowered to receive the said Alma Pirly and Seely Orono and convey them to the Territory of Utah, there to be dealt with according to law.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the great seal of the Territory to be affixed. Done at Prescott this fifteenth day of March AD 1861.

Seal

J. C. Fremont
Governor of Arizona

John J. Gosper
Sec of Ter

By John C. Anderson
Assistant Sec

Proclamation

A Special reward of Three Hundred Dollars is hereby offered for the arrest and conviction of the highwaymen who attacked the mail and express stage coach near contention city Cochise County killing the stage driver and one passenger on the night of the 15th inst. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Territory to be affixed Done at Prescott this 16th day of March A.D. 1861 & the Governor J. C. Fremont

Seal

J. J. Gosper Secretary Territory
By Anderson Asst Sec

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Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

To any Sheriff, Marshall or Peace Officer in this Territory

Whereas, a requisition from his Excellency the Governor of the Territory of Utah has been presented & are demanding that John P. Tucker, who is a fugitive from Justice convicted of the crime of murder committed in the County of Iron in the Territory of Utah and who is said to have taken refuge in this Territory be apprehended and delivered to R. H. Paul and John W. Turner who have been constituted and appointed Agents of the Territory of Utah duly authorized to receive and convey John P. Tucker to the Territory of Utah, and whereas copies of the indictment, verdict and warrant have been laid before me duly certified as authentic; Now Therefore, pursuant to the Constitution and Laws of the United States in such cases made and provided, I John C. Fremont, Governor of the Territory of Arizona do hereby require and command you to arrest and deliver the above named John P. Tucker to the said Agents R. H. Paul and John W. Turner who are hereby authorized and empowered to receive the said John P. Tucker and convey him to the Territory of Utah, there to be dealt with according to law.

Seal

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Territory of Arizona to be affixed at Prescott, this fifteenth day of March A.D. 1887.

J. C. Fremont
Governor of Arizona Territory

John J. Gosper Sec. of Ter.
By John E. Anderson
Asst. Sec. of Ter.

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department.

John C Frémont, Governor of the Territory of Arizona
To His Excellency the Governor of the State of Sonora
in the United States of Mexico.

Whereas it appears by the annexed copies of a warrant from a United State Commissioner for the Territory of Arizona and a request from the General Commanding the Department which I certify are authentic and duly authenticated in accordance with the laws of this Territory that William S. Grazier is a fugitive from Justice charged with the crime of Grand Larceny committed in the County of Pima in the Territory of Arizona and is represented to one that he has taken refuge in the State of Sonora in the United States of Mexico, Now therefore pursuant to the Constitution and Laws of the United States in such case made and provided and conformably to the Treaty of Extradition between the United States of Mexico and the United States of America proclaimed by the President of the United States June 10th 1862. I do hereby request that the said William S Grazier be apprehended and delivered to C P Dake, United State Marshall of this Territory, or to any of his Deputies, who are hereby authorized to receive and convey William S Grazier to the Territory of Arizona there to be dealt with according to law.

Seal

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Territory to be affixed at Prescott this fifteenth day of March in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and eighty one.

By the Governor J C Frémont

John J Gosper Sec of Territory
By John E Anderson
Chief Secretary

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

To All to Whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

Whereas it has become known to me that James E. Miles was on the 27th day of December 1879 arraigned before the District ~~Judge~~ Court of the Third Judicial District of this Territory charged with the crime of Murder and was on the second day of January 1880 convicted of Murder in the Second degree and sentenced to be imprisoned in the Territorial Prison for the term of fifteen years, and whereas a Concurrent Resolution of the Eleventh Legislative Assembly and a petition numerously signed by the citizens of Prescott and Yavapai County earnestly requesting his pardon have been laid before me, Now, Therefore, in consideration of the premises, I John C. Fremont Governor of the Territory of Arizona, do hereby Grant a pardon to the said James E. Miles, and direct that he be forthwith set at liberty; the pardon hereby granted being however conditioned as follows, to wit; that the said Miles remain in the Territory of Arizona only until the first day of May next and no longer, and that if after the said first day of May and before the expiration of the term of his sentence he returns to this Territory, or if during his stay here he commits any breach of the peace or any felony, then and in that event the pardon hereby granted shall be deemed and held to be revoked and void and the sentence of the Court shall resume its full force and effect.

Seal

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Territory of Arizona to be affixed, at Prescott, this sixteenth day of March A.D. 1881

By the Governor J. C. Fremont

Attest
John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting

Whereas, it has become known to me that Daniel Cannon was at the May term A.D. 1880 arraigned before the District Court of the Third Judicial District of this Territory charged with the crime of Murder and sentenced to be imprisoned in the Territorial Prison for the term of Thirty one years And Whereas a petition has been laid before me numerously signed by the citizens of Yuma County praying his pardon for reasons therein given,

Now Therefore, in consideration of the premises, and after a careful examination into the circumstances of the crime, I, John A. Fremont, Governor of the Territory of Arizona do hereby grant a pardon to the aforesaid Daniel Cannon and direct that he be set at liberty, his pardon being however conditioned that he depart from this Territory on or before the fifteenth day of April, eighteen hundred and eighty one, and if before the expiration of the term for which he was sentenced he return to the Territory of Arizona then and in that event this pardon shall be deemed and held to be revoked and the sentence of the Court which convicted him shall resume its full force and effect

Seal

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the seal of the Territory of Arizona to be affixed at Prescott this Twenty fifth day of March 1881

J. A. Fremont
Governor

Attest
John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory

Territory of Arizona
Office of the Executive,
Prescott Arizona April 5th 1881

To the
Warden of the Territorial Prison
Sir

Exercising the legal rights in me vested as Acting Governor of the Territory I hereby order and direct that you shall immediately set at liberty one Charles Selden who was convicted at the March term 1879 in the First Judicial District, and sentenced for life in the Territorial Prison.

Mitigating circumstances not known to the Court at the time of trial the good conduct of said Selden during his confinement and a firm belief that the ends of Justice and good Morals can no longer be served by the continuance in Prison of said Selden have led me to order that he shall be set at liberty

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory
Done at Prescott this 5th day of April 1881,

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

Seal

Attest
John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department.

John J. Gosper, Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona
To His Excellency, The Governor of Sonora Mexico

Whereas, I have received reliable information that one J. Montin is a fugitive from Justice charged with having violated the revenue laws of the United States of America, and it is represented to me that he has taken refuge in the State of Sonora, Mexico. Now therefore, pursuant to the Constitution and Laws of the United States in such case made and provided and conformably to the treaty of Extradition between the United States of Mexico and the United States of America I do hereby request that the said J. Montin be apprehended and delivered to A. F. Burke Deputy U.S. Marshal of this Territory who is authorized to receive and convey the said J. Montin to the Territory of Arizona to be dealt with according to law.

Seal

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona
Done at Prescott this 7th day of April A.D. 1881

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

Attest
John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory

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Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

To the Sheriff of Pima County.

Whereas, it appears from evidence that one John Thomas was on the Sixth day of January 1881 convicted of the crime of Petit Larceny in a Justices Court of Pima County and sentenced to imprisonment in the County Jail of said County for a period of Six Months,

And Whereas, a petition signed by responsible and influential citizens of said Pima County has been presented to me asking the release from imprisonment of the said John Thomas for good and sufficient reasons,

Now therefore I, John J. Gosper, Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona do hereby extend to said John Thomas a free and full pardon and request that you do set him at liberty.

(Seal)

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona Done at Prescott this 23rd day of May A. D. 1881

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

Attest
W. W. Noyes
Asst Secretary of Territory

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

The Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona to His Excellency, The Governor of the State of Texas

Whereas, it appears from information duly received that One William Putasky is charged with the crime of Grand Larceny in the County of Pima of this Territory. That the said William Putasky has fled from Justice and taken refuge in the State of Texas.

Now therefore, I, John J. Gosper, Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona do hereby require that the said William Putasky be apprehended and delivered to R. M. Paul who is hereby authorized to receive and convey him to the Territory of Arizona there to be dealt with according to law.

This requisition is issued on condition that none of the expenses incurred in the return of said William Putasky shall be chargable to the Executive Department of the Territory of Arizona

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory done at Prescott this 26th day of May A.D. 1881

Seal

John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory

Attest
M. G. Noyes
Asst Secty of Ter

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

To the Warden of Territorial Prison at Yuma, A.T.
Sir.

Exercising the Authority vested in the Executive, and in order to save the right of citizenship to one John Ellis who was sentenced by the District Court of the Second Judicial District to imprisonment for a term of 18 Months, and which will expire the 4th day of July 1881, I do hereby authorize you to set at liberty the said John Ellis at least fifteen days prior to the expiration of said term.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand, and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona. Done at Prescott this 7th day of June A.D. 1881

Seal

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

Attest—
M. M. Noyes.
Asst. Secty of Territory

Territory of Arizona
Office of the Executive
Prescott Arizona June 17th 1881

William Wilkerson Esq
County Recorder
Yavapai County A.T.

Sir,

On the 15th day of April 1881 One W. W. Lumbar was duly appointed and commissioned a Notary Public in and for the County of Yavapai Ter Territory of Arizona

Now "for Cause" the Appointment of said W. W. Lumbar as Notary Public is this day revoked, and you are requested to give the said W. W. Lumbar Official Notice of the revocation of his appointment.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great Seal of the Territory

Seal

Done at Prescott this 17th day of June A.D. 1881

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

Attest
John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

Whereas, I am credibly informed ~~that~~ on the 2nd day of June A.D. 1887 One Samuel Carr was shot and killed at Eagle Creek, Graham County, Territory of Arizona, by parties unknown. Now therefore I, John J. Gosper, Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona, do hereby proclaim and offer a reward of Three Hundred ($300.00) Dollars each, for the arrest of the murderer or murderers of the said Samuel Carr, said reward to become due and payable only on the conviction of the party or parties who committed the crime.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great seal of the Territory of Arizona done at Prescott this 15th day of June A.D. 1887

Seal

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

Attest—
John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory.

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

The Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona
To His Excellency The Governor of the
State of Chihuahua Mexico

Whereas, it appears from evidence, a copy of which is hereto annexed, that Anastacio Luran alias Jesus Luran and Tiburcio or Francisco Estrada did, on the 2nd day of June A.D. 1881, shoot and kill one Samuel Dean at Eagle Creek, Graham County, Territory of Arizona.

And Whereas, it has been satisfactorily represented to me that the said Anastacio Luran, alias Jesus Luran and Tiburcio or Francisco Estrada have fled from the Justice of this Territory and taken refuge in the State of Chihuahua, Mexico.

Now therefore, Pursuant to the provisions of the Extradition Treaty between the United States of America and the United States of Mexico, I, John J. Gosper, Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona, do hereby request that the said Anastacio Luran alias Jesus Luran and Tiburcio or Francisco Estrada be apprehended, and delivered to Alexander Derrick who is hereby authorized to receive and convey them to the Territory of Arizona, there to be dealt with according to Law.

(Seal)

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona Done at Prescott this 27th day of June A.D. 1881

By the Acting Governor
John J. Gosper

Attest
John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory

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Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

To Joseph R. Walker Esq
Sheriff of Yavapai County

Sir

Whereas, Charles Peeples, a young Indian boy did at the June term of the District Court of the Third Judicial District held in the City of Prescott in June 1881 plead guilty to an indictment of Grand Larceny, and was sentenced by the Judge of said Court to confinement in the Territorial Prison, And Whereas, a petition numerously signed by the taxpayers of this County asking ~~that~~ the said Charles Peeples be confined in the County Jail of Yavapai County instead of being removed to the Territorial Prison, on account of his extreme youth,

Now therefore I, John J. Gosper Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona do hereby commute the said sentence to imprisonment in the County Jail of this County for the given term.

Seal

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand, and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona. Done at Prescott this 29th day of June A.D. 1881

By the Acting Governor John J. Gosper

Attest
John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory.

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

Whereas, I have received reliable information ~~that~~ a short time since one Sydney Leyderman did shoot and kill a harmless and quiet citizen at Canada del Oro, said murder having been premeditated and unprovoked

Now therefore I, John J. Gosper, Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona do hereby offer a reward of Three Hundred ($300.00) Dollars for the arrest and conviction of the said Sydney Leyderman,

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great seal of the Territory of Arizona

Seal

Done at Prescott this 28th day of June A.D. 1881

By the Acting Governor. John J. Gosper

Attest-
John J. Gosper
Secretary of Territory

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

To All whom it may concern
Know ye that I John J Gosper Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona have authorized and Empowered and by these presents do authorize and Empower H. H. Whitehill to take and receive from any Magistrate Sheriff or other officer of this Territory who may have them in charge, J. G. White and Albert May, who are fugitives from justice charged with Larceny, Assault and Robbery committed in the County of Grant and Territory of New Mexico, and convey them to New Mexico there to be dealt with according to law

(Seal)

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona this Fifth day of July A.D. 1881

John J Gosper
Acting Governor

Attest
John E Anderson
Asst Sec of Ter

Territory of Arizona,
Executive Department,

Whereas I am informed that on the Twenty-sixth day of July A. D., 1881, one M. Ryan shot and murdered one John White in the county of Yavapai and Territory of Arizona and that said M. Ryan has fled from Justice and is still at large,

Now therefore I John J. Gosper, Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona do hereby proclaim and offer a reward of Three ($300) Dollars, for the arrest and conviction of said M. Ryan; Said reward to become due and payable only after conviction of said M. Ryan of the crime charged against him,

Seal

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great Seal of the Territory of Arizona,
Done, at Prescott this Second day of August A. D. 1881,

John J. Gosper,
Acting Governor,

Attest,
John E. Anderson,
Asst. Secretary, Territory Arizona

Proclamation

To the People of Arizona Territory

A great calamity has befallen the nation. The President, James A. Garfield, has succumbed to the work of the wicked assassin, and is now numbered with the dead.

The whole land is in deepest mourning, and the people of our sister States and Territories are loyally doing honor to the memory of the illustrious and lamented statesman.

Now therefore, I, John J. Gosper, Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona, do hereby recommend that Monday, September 26th, A.D. 1881, the day set by the authorities of the General Government for the funeral of the deceased President, be suitably observed by our people, that they close their places of business, and with such processions of citizens and military and civil organizations as the legal, civil and military authorities may determine, repair to some convenient place of assembly and hold such religious and other services as will do our people honor in suitably mourning the nation's dead.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the Territory, this 21st day of September, A.D. 1881.

(Seal)

John J. Gosper.

Attest: J. E. Anderson,
Assistant Secretary

Territory of Arizona

Executive Department

The Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona to his Excellency the Governor of the State of Sonora, Mexico

Whereas it appears by complaint duly authenticated that John Doe stands charged with the crime of forgery committed in the county of Pima in this Territory as will appear from the annexed complaint and Warrant of Arrest, Whereas it has been represented to me that he has fled from justice and has taken refuge in the State of Sonora Mexico. Now therefore I John J Gosper Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona, pursuant to the provisions of the Extradition Treaty existing between the United States of Mexico and the United States of America do hereby require that the said John Doe be apprehended and delivered to R. H. Paul who is hereby authorized to receive and convey him to the Territory of Arizona there to be dealt with according to Law.

Seal

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Caused the Great Seal of the Territory to be affixed Done at Prescott this 12th day of July AD 1887.

John J Gosper
Acting Governor

Attest
John E Anderson
Asst Sec of Ter

Territory of Arizona

Executive Department

Whereas it has been made known to me that one —— Miller did on the — of October shoot and kill J.A. Brant at Flagstaff in the County of Yavapai and Territory of Arizona and Whereas the said —— Miller has fled from justice.

Now therefore I John J Hoeffer Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona do hereby offer a reward of two hundred and fifty Dollars for the arrest and conviction of said —— Miller

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Territory to be affixed. Done at Prescott this 12th day of October A.D. 1887.

Seal

John Hoeffer
Acting Governor

John E Anderson
Secretary of Ter

Office of the Executive
Prescott Arizona Oct 25. 1881

To the Warden of
The Territorial Prison

Sir.

On account of the extraordinary good conduct, the many extra hours of hard labor rendered beyond that rendered by other prisoners, and the presentation to me of a very strong petition asking for his pardon, William Bohman who was tried and sentenced in the District Court in and for Yavapai County to serve three years in the Territorial Prison, and whose term of imprisonment is now within about five months of a termination is ordered to be set at liberty upon receipt hereof.

Seal

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory this 25th day of October A.D. 1881.

John J Gosper
Acting Governor

Attest
John J Gosper
Secretary of Territory

Office of the Executive
Territory of Arizona

To his Excellency the Governor of New Mexico

It having been officially brought to my knowledge that one Charles Carr and one John G. Miller have been accused the former of the crime of Grand Larceny and the latter of the crime of receiving stolen goods in the County of Pima and Territory of Arizona. Do is made to appear from duly authenticated copies of complaints and Warrants of Arrest hereunto attached. And it also appearing that the said Charles Carr and John G. Miller have fled from the hands of Justice in the Territory of Arizona and have taken refuge in the Territory of New Mexico

Now Therefore in the name and by the authority of the people of the Territory of Arizona and in accordance with the Constitution and laws of the United States. I do respectfully request and demand of his Excellency the Governor of the Territory of New Mexico that he cause the said Charles Carr and John G. Miller to be arrested and surrendered to _____ who is the duly appointed agent to receive the said prisoners and return with them to the County and Territory from which they fled.

This requisition is issued with the understanding that none of the expenses attending the arrest and return of the said Carr and Miller shall be chargeable to the Territory at large.

Seal

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great seal of the Territory Done at Prescott this 20th day of Oct AD 1881

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

Attest
John E. Anderson
Sec of Ter.

Office of the Executive
Territory of Arizona

A requisition in due form and according to law having been made upon the Executive of this Territory by the Executive of the State of Kansas for the apprehension of one R. G. McClain and the return of said McClain to said State to be tried for the crime of Forgery

Now therefore I do hereby order and direct the Sheriff of the County of Yavapai, Territory of Arizona to cause the arrest of the said R G McClain and to deliver him into the custody of C. Pangandt who is designated as the proper Agent to receive him.

Seal

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory this 26th day of Oct AD 1881

John J Gosper
Acting Governor

Attest
John J Gosper
Secretary of Territory

Territory of Arizona
Office of the Executive

To the Sheriff of Pima County Greeting:

Whereas Robert Young was tried on the first day of April A.D. 1881 in the District Court for Pima County for the crime of Grand Larceny and was found guilty of Petit Larceny and sentenced to be imprisoned for Six months and pay a fine of five Hundred (500) Dollars and whereas a number of the Jurors and other leading Citizens of Pima County have petitioned for his Pardon

Now therefore I John J Gosper acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona in consideration thereof do hereby pardon him and remit the said fine and in case you have him still in custody direct that he be set free.

Seal

In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Territory to be affixed Done at Prescott this 1st Day of November A.D. 1881

John J Gosper
Acting Governor

Attest
John E Anderson
Asst Sec of Ter

Thanksgiving Proclamation

In accordance with a time honored custom in the United States of observing one day in each year in a special manner in praise and thanksgiving to Almighty God for his goodness and mercy, I do hereby designate Thursday the 24th day of November as the day on which the people of the Territory are earnestly requested to cease from their labor as far as possible and observe the day in suitable exercises of thanks-giving to God for His goodness and mercy to us people

Seal

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the Territory this 15th day of November AD 1891

John Grafe
Acting Governor

Attest
J. E. Anderson
Asst Secretary

Territory of Arizona
Office of the Executive

The Governor of the Territory of Arizona to his Excellency the Governor of the State of California

Whereas it appears by information duly laid before me that George Fowler and John Fowler stand charged with the crime of murder said crime being committed in the County of Gila and Territory of Arizona

That said George Fowler and John Fowler have fled from Justice and taken refuge in the State of California a copy of the indictment and warrant for arrest of said parties is hereunto attached

Now therefore in pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided I John J Gosper Acting Governor of the said Territory of Arizona do hereby require that the said George Fowler and John Fowler be apprehended and delivered to _____ who is authorized to receive and convey them to the Territory of Arizona there to be dealt with according to law.

This requisition is issued on condition that none of the expenses incurred in the return of said George Fowler and John Fowler shall be chargeable to the Executive Department of the Territory of Arizona

Seal

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona to be affixed. Done at Prescott this 24th day of November A.D. 1881

John J Gosper
Acting Governor

Attest
John Anderson
Asst Sec of Ter

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

The Governor of the Territory of Arizona to His Excellency the Governor of the State of California

Whereas it appears by information duly laid before one Tiburcio Carlos I Cole is charged with infraction of the Revenue Laws of the United States committed in the County of Maricopa and Territory of Arizona that said Charles I Cole has left the Territory of Arizona and gone to California. A certified copy of the complaint on which warrant for arrest of said Cole was made is herewith attached

Now therefore in pursuance of the Statute in such cases made and provided I John J Gosper, Acting Governor of the said Territory of Arizona do hereby require that the said Charles I Cole be apprehended and delivered to the U.S. Marshal of this Territory or to his deputies who are hereby authorized to receive and convey him to the Territory of Arizona there to be dealt with according to Law.

This requisition is issued on condition that none of the expenses incurred in the return of said Charles I Cole shall be chargeable to the Executive Department of the Territory of Arizona

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Territory to be affixed Done at Prescott this 29th day of [illegible] A.D. 1881.

Seal

John J Gosper
Acting Governor

Attest
John E Anderson
Secretary

Territory of Arizona
Office of the Executive

Whereas it is claimed that one Philip McDonald has committed a murder in this Territory on November 3rd A.D. 1880 and then fled from justice and for whose arrest a reward of three hundred dollars was on the 7th offered has been arrested in Colorado.

Now therefore, I, John Gosper Governor of the Territory of Arizona do in behalf of said Territory agree to have drawn from the agent who shall deliver the said Philip McDonald to the Sheriff of Graham County a warrant on the Treasury of Arizona for two hundred dollars and the expenses this Territory will pay towards the expenses bringing the said Philip McDonald from Colorado to Prescott.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Territory to be affixed. Done at Prescott this 14th day of December A.D. 1880

Seal

John Gosper
Acting Governor

Attest
Geo. E. Anderson
Acting Secy Ty

Territory of Arizona
Office of the Executive

The Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona to His Excellency the Governor of the State of Colorado

Whereas one Philip McDonald did on the Second day of November A.D. 1880 in the County of Yavapai and Territory of Arizona, kill one Frank Richardson and then fled from Justice in this Territory and has sought refuge in Colorado. A copy of the warrant for the arrest of said McDonald being hereunto attached.

Now therefore I John J. Gosper Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona in Pursuance of the Statute in such cases made and provided do demand the arrest of said Philip McDonald and that he be delivered to Joseph Smith of Conejos, Colorado who is hereby appointed and authorized to convey the said Philip McDonald to this Territory where he will be dealt with according to Law.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Territory to be affixed

Seal

Done at Prescott this 14th day of December A.D. 1881

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

Attest
John C. Anderson
Asst Sec of Ter.

Territory of Arizona
Office of the Executive

To the Sheriff of Yavapai County Greeting

Whereas it has been brought to my notice that Julius Schattan was at the November term of the District Court of the Third Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona in and for the County of Yavapai found guilty of an assault with a deadly weapon with an intent to inflict on the person of an other great bodily injury and was sentenced to pay a fine of one thousand dollars and in default of payment he was committed to imprisonment in the County Jail for two hundred days that he has now been in confinement for more than three months, and

Whereas I have received a petition numerously signed by citizens of Prescott and the Judge has recommended that he be pardoned

Now therefore I John J. Gosper Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona in consideration of the foregoing do direct that upon the said Julius Schattan at large.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Territory Done at Prescott this 27th day of February A.D. 1882.

Seal

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

Attest
John J. Gosper
John C. Anderson
Sect Sec of Ter

Territory of Arizona
Executive Department

To all to whom these presents shall come Greeting.

Whereas Allen Blount was convicted of the crime of Manslaughter at the June term, 1881, of the District Court of the Third Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona and County of Yavapai and sentenced by the Judge of said Court to be confined in the Territorial Prison of said Territory for the Period of five years. And Whereas Mitigating circumstances have been brought to my notice and I have received a large number of petitions from all parts of the Territory asking that said Blount be pardoned.

Now therefore I John Gosper Acting Governor of the Territory of Arizona in consideration of the foregoing do hereby grant a full and free pardon to said Allen Blount and do hereby direct that he be set at liberty immediately on receipt of this pardon.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the great seal of the Territory to be affixed. Done at Prescott this 2nd day of March A.D. 1882

Seal

John J. Gosper
Acting Governor

Attest
John Calderon
Asst Sec of Territory